tigated thoroughly it was found how the report of the arrest of one of the best men in the employ of the express company gained currency. Yesterday when Mr. Mehegan was informed of the rumor he laughed and said that he had been working too hard to help break up the gang of thieves and to save the company from loss for any one to suspeet him of being arrested.

J. B. Arebaugh and G. C. Gibson were the first express thieves to be arrested, and they pleaded guilty to get a light sentence. Their arrest enabled Mr. Scherer to learn other atters concerning the thefts which have cost the express companies so much recently, and as a result the four men. Arebaugh, Gibson, G. M. Shumate and Walter Dyer, all express messengers, and Slaufley, a friend of Dyer, have been locked up. Dyer and Shumate have not been tried.

SECURE MONEY TO CARRY ON WORK

At the special meeting of the Common Council, called for to-night, the Finance Committee will present a new resolution providing for finds to carry out work in the annexed territory pending a sale of honds for that purpose. The former resolutions and ordinary was very watered by Mr. Weeven, the save the time it their lives they must choose between God and Mammon; and the principal speaker. He spoke again at night, in the Armory Hall, his suffice the line of the common committee will present a new resolution providing for finds to carry out work in the annexed territory pending a sale of honds for that purpose. The former resolutions and ordinary was treated with Mr. Weeven the harvest feeting and the propose was the principal speaker. He spoke again at night, in the Armory Hall, his suffice the line in their lives they must choose between God and Mammon; in the finance Committee will present a new resolution providing for finds to carry out work in the annexed territory pose. The former resolutions and ordinary was a step principal speaker. He spoke again at night, in the Armory Hall, his suffice the firmed to let that election be for God.

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he offered.

To-morrow night the special investigating committee will take up again the Mayor's charges against the Finance Committee. Three witnesses will be examined, after which a report will be formulated. Mayor McCarthy and others have said that the matter. and others have said that the matter didn't amount to a hill of beans, and there is no promise of a sensational For one reason or another, the hearing has been delayed, but the unanimous desire now is to clear it

There are a number of committee meetings on the docket for this week.

### RENDERS DECISION

Judge Advocate-General Passes on Question of Military Cadets.

HEAVY LOSSES OF
EXPRESS COMPANY

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### FERTILIZER CASES COME UP TUESDAY

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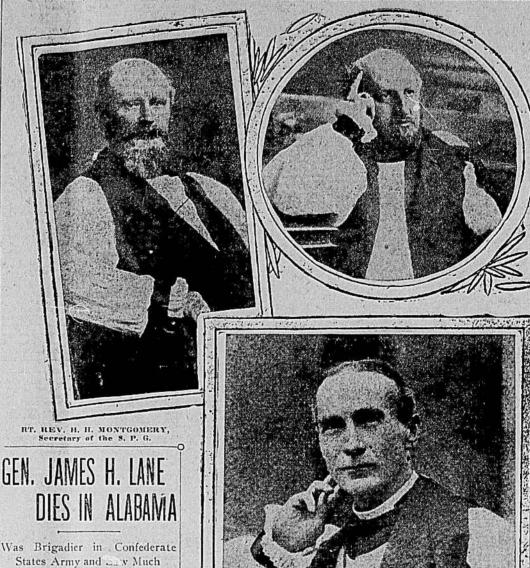
Circuit Court of the Eastern District

of Virginia, at Norfolk to-morrow to reast motions for a transfer of the consequence of t

Tennessee.

Counsel for officers of fertilizer companies in Virginia will appear before Judge Waddill, of the United States Circuit Court of the Eastern District Circuit Court of the Eastern District of Northern Virginia and many of the miner ones.

# ENGLISH CHURCHMEN COMING TO RICHMOND



Virginian of Old School Passes

Away at Auburn at Age of Seventy-Four.

Service.

FINE RECORD AS EDUCATOR

fessor of engineering at the Alabam Polyfechnic Institute, died at Aubur Saturday night. He was seventy-fou

years old, and was a brigadier-general in the Confederate army.

Born at Mathews Courthouse, Va., July 28, 1823, General Lane was the son of Walter G. and Mary A. H. Lane. After graduating from the Virginia Military Institute he entered the University of Virginia, taking the full course with high honors. Before volunteering in the Confederate army he was appointed professor of mathematics and instructor in tactics in the Virginia Military Institute; professor of mathematics and commandant in the State Seminary of Florida, at Tallahasse; professor of natural philosophy in the North Carolina Military Institute, at Charlotte.

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In the Civil War he served as major and lieutenant-colonel, First North Carolina Volunteers, and colonel of the Twenty-eighth North Carolina

Skull Fractured.

Waiter Woodson, a fourteen-year-old colored boy was hit in the head wit ha brick by Lewis Deane, a negro last night, and his takull was tractured. The fight occurred at the last Arch Street. Woodson also has a three-inch cut on his forehead.

He was treated by Dr. Hinchman, of the cilv ambulance corps, who took the boy to the colored almshouse. Woodson is in a serious condition, but it is expected that he will recover,

HEARD AND SEEN IN PUBLIC PLACES

## OFFICIAL ITINERARY OF THE BISHOP OF LONDON

September 30, Monday—Luncheon at the Virginia Theological Seminary at Alexandria. Monday night addresses students of University o Virginia, in Charlottesville.

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October 1st, Tuesday—Drive to Monticello, home of Thomas Jefferson; trip to Richmond, arriving here at 4:30 P. M.; 9 to 11 P. M., reception in honor of Bishop of London given by Bishop Gibson at his residence, 906 Park Avenue, to which about 300 church people of Richmond will be invited.

October 2d, Wednesday-11 A. M., takes part in opening service of General Convention, and delivers opening sermon in Holy Trinity Church, Afternoon-Addresses diocesan officers of the Woman's Auxiliary, in Ma-

Dines at Jefferson Hotel with presiding bishop and distinguished guests. Attends evening reception given by Bishop Gibson to the House of Bishops and their wives.

## GOSPEL BAND PRAYED FOR EVERYBODY, THEN MOVED ON

Included Policemen Who Stopped Singing, Nearby Congregation and Others in Its Petition---Service Under Difficulties at St. Paul's Church.

Evening service at St. Paul's Episco-pal Church was conducted under dif-ficulties last night. Between the wheez-ing of a melodeon in the chapel and the

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# WILL NOT BE HERE FOR CONSECRATION

Bishop of London Will Reach Richmond on Tuesday Afternoon of Next Week.

POST-OFFICE AT ST. PAUL'S

Regular Men from Main Office Will Be in Charge-Local Arrangements.

f the Lord Bishop of London and the listinguished company of visiting churchmen has now been completed. The official itinerary of the Bishop of London while in Virginia was issued last night by Bishop Gibson, and is printed elsewhere. The stops at the Virginia Seminary and the University of Virginia will prove interesting features of the trip, but it is a matter of regret that the party will not arrive in Richmond in time for the consecration of Holy Trinity Church, which takes place at 11 A. M. on Tuesday, October 1st. A handsome reception will be tendered to the Bishop of London, will be tendered to the Bishop of London on the evening of his arrival by Bishop Gibson at his residence on Park Avenue, and ft is said that 300 or more prominent clurchmen and Richmond people have been invited to meet him. The Bishop of London, with his party, will stay at the residence of Bishop Gibson while in Richmond.

Impressive Sight.

The opening service at Holy Trinety on the morning of Wednesday, October 2d, will be the most impressive and spectacular event of the American Hon. The bishops of the American

ty on the morning of Wednesday, October 2d, will be the most impressive and spectacular event of the convention. The bishops of the American church, accompanied by the visitors, will enter the front door of the church in solomn procession, preceded by the choir of Holy Trinity. The Bishop of London will preach the sermon on this occasion.

He also speaks to the officials of the Woman's Auxiliary that afternoon at the Masonic Temple, and on the following day dines with the presiding bishop and a distinguished company at the Jefferson Hotel.

On October 4th a luncheon will be tendered to the Bishop of London by Mrs. Stewart and the Misses Stewart at Brook Hill, and on the following day comes the trip to Williamsburg and the services in Bruton Parish Church, in which the English bishop takes a prominent part.

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Local preparations for the convention are progressing rapidly, and there is every reason to believe that when the distinguished visitors arrive in Richmond they will find everything prepared for their coming. The second carload of parts for the lig organ of St. Paul's Church arrived yesterday, and an army of skilled workinen are rapidly putting it in shape. All the parts except the echo organ, which goes in the rear gallery, are now here, and the foreman in charge of the construction work said yesterday that he had no doubt the organ would be used on the first Sunday the convention worships in St. Paul's. During the time of the convention prayer is read each morning at 9 o'clock in St. James Church, the bishops drawing lots as to who shall conduct the service. The organ at St. Paul's will, therefore, not be used except on Sundays. A large movable platform is being built, to cover the chancel and choir. On it will be seated the president and secretaries. This platform, being in sections, will be so arranged that it can be removed on Saturday afternoon, for the Sunday services, and replaced before the convention opens Monday morning.

St. Paul's Church has been therough.

"The authorities have given the committee on arrangements every possible assistance," said the chairman, Rev.
W. M. Clark, yesterday. "Not only
will the United States government install for us a full post-office, but the
State authorities have given us the
use of the hall of the House of Delegates in the State Capitol without
charge. This hall is practically an
ideal arrangement for the gathering,
including as it does every possible faincluding as it does every possible fa-cility in the way of toilet, cloak and committee-rooms. Indeed, it is doubt-

committee-rooms. Indeed, it is doubt-ful if the bishops have ever before been so comfortably fixed at a General Convention.

Continuing, Mr. Clark said that the city authorities had also promised every assistance. At the Boston con-vention the committee had to pay for vention the committee and to pay for extra police, sworn in to assist in handling the crowds at the great public meetings. When the committee approached Major Werner on this matter the big chief of Hichmond's police force assured them that his men would give accurate possible assistance. force assured them that his men would give every possible assistance in handling the crowds, and that the service would not mean any expense whatever to the committee. The committee feels sure that Major Werner is abundantly able to take care of the situation, and that his men will prevent any undue crowding at any of the services.

The Presbyterian Committee of Publication has placed at the disposal of the committee a floor of its building on Sixth Street, which will be used as committee-rooms, there not being sufficient room in the basement of St. Paul's for this purpose.